

## **Diversity Horsemanship Lesson Student Application Form**

This form will help us determine if we are the right fit for each other, and if our programs values align with your values and goals. Please be aware that we have downsized the program considerably, leaving very few openings for new students. We also sold the majority of our lesson horses, and the older lesson horses that we have kept can only handle lightweight riders. These few remaining lesson horses that we do have can only handle a small number of lessons per week, so for that reason alone we may not be able to fit in more riders at certain times. Therefore we are predominantly teaching people on their own horses, or people who part board horses that are boarding here.

Your Full Name
Email Address
1) Please let us know which category you are in:
2) Are you going to need to use a lesson horse?  Yes No
If needing a lesson horse, please let me know what weight category you are in:
3) Do you have your own horse that you are planning to take lessons on? 🗌 Yes 🗌 No
4) Will you be hauling in for lessons? 🗌 Yes 🗌 No
5) Are you interested in boarding at Diversity Horsemanship? 🗌 Yes 🗌 No 🗌 Unknown
6) Are you interested in Horse Training at Diversity Horsemanship? 🗌 Yes 🗌 No 🗌 Unknown
7) How old is your horse? No Horse
8) Tell me a bit about your horse that you will be using in lessons. Breed, how much training do they have, who has done the training/ what type of training, what is the horse's current level of fitness, what are some of your challenges with your horse:

10) Please describe a bit about your riding experience, and why you are drawn to riding:

11) What are some goals that you have for your riding, both large and small:

12) How willing to learn new things are you?

13) How willing are you to change what you are currently doing in order to achieve your goals?

14) How do you most enjoy learning, and find that you learn the best?

15) For those who do not currently own a horse, do you plan to own a horse one day? 🗌 Yes 🛛 No

16) If planning to buy a horse, do you have an estimated timeline on when you would like to buy a horse;

17) Are you looking to compete? If so, what disciplines are you drawn to?

18) How often do you plan to take lessons? Would this be potentially year round if you like the program? (We have a heated indoor arena)

19) How much time outside of lessons each week do you plan to work on your improvement? (Can include note taking about your lesson, exercises off the horse to improve your riding, visualization geared to riding, studying videos of you riding for educational purposes, as well as practising your riding outside of lesson time):

20) What types of lessons are you looking for? Please note we are no longer offering jumping lessons, unless you own your own horse).

How many lessons a week would you be interested in?



21) Are you interested in off the horse personal training/ corrective exercise geared to riders?

22) What is your availability for lessons? How flexible is your schedule- in particular on Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday afternoons and evenings, what times work for you?

23) Is riding your favourite thing to do and your top priority activity to schedule? If not, how many other activities or sports do you have to schedule your riding around? You may list them if you like, for instance, "I have hockey from Nov. to April and have 3 practices a week and one game", etc.

If there is anything else you would like to add, please use the space below

Email this application to <u>chelsea@diversityhorsemanship.com</u> with the subject title "Student Application"

Would you like to be added to our email list?  $\Box$  Yes  $\Box$  No

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